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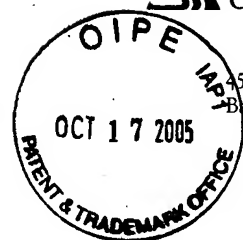


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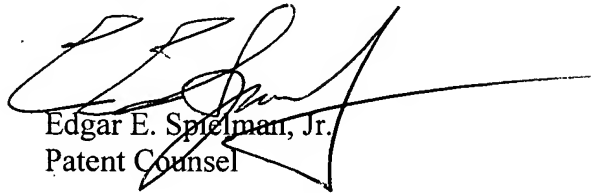
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We, **VINCENT J. GATTO**, a citizen of the United States of America, residing in the Parish of East Baton Rouge, State of Louisiana, at 17639 Five Oaks Drive, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, Louisiana, 70810; **HASSAN Y. ELNAGAR**, a citizen of the United States of America, residing in the Parish of East Baton Rouge, State of Louisiana, at 1447 Bullrush Drive, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, 70810; **CHI HUNG CHENG**, a citizen of the United States of America, residing in the Parish of East Baton Rouge, State of Louisiana, at 10825 Hilltree Drive, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, 70810, and **J. ROBERT ADAMS**, a citizen of the United States of America, residing in the Parish of East Baton Rouge, State of Louisiana, at 12645 Warwick Avenue, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, 70815, have made at least one invention, improvement, or discovery described in patent application papers having the above-designated case number and entitled:

### **PREPARATION OF STERICALLY HINDERED HYDROXYPHENYLCARBOXYLIC ACID ESTERS**

and for which invention, improvement, or discovery we have filed application for Letters Patent of the United States of America.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, we hereby transfer, set over, and assign to:

#### **ALBEMARLE CORPORATION**

a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, and having a place of business at Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and its successors and assigns, our entire right, title, and interest in, to, and under said application for Letters Patent, and all inventions, improvements, and discoveries, whether joint or sole, disclosed therein, and the resultant patent or patents thereon, and any renewals, reissues, extensions, substitutions, continuations, or divisions thereof, including all priority rights arising in other countries from said application, and all foreign rights in and to said inventions, improvements, and discoveries.

We further agree to execute such further papers, and perform such other proper acts as said Corporation may deem necessary to secure to said Corporation the rights herein conveyed, and we hereby authorize the insertion into this Assignment of the serial number and filing date of said application.

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On this 20 day of May, 2004, personally appeared  
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known to me to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument in my presence, and who  
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